

THE CHURCH AT STUDY

November 2, 2024

Sabbath School: 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

Cradle Roll (Ages 0-3, Beginners' Room)	Cassia Owen
Kindergarten (Ages 4-7, Kindergarten Room)	Paul Miller
Primary (Ages 8-12, Primary Rm)	Darby Goodge and Jodie Scott
Youth (Ages 13-18, Hospitality House)	Geoff & Amy White
Young Adult (Ages 18+, Hospitality House)	Brandon Cathey
Women's Bible Study (KAS Music Room)	Janet Rowe
Adult Class (KAS Gym)	Alex Osei-Kojo
Adult Class (Downstairs Board Room)	Dan Peters

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

Divine Worship Service: 10:45a.m.

Welcome & Announcements	David Hinson
Invocation	David Hinson
Songs of Praise	KAS Students
Opening Song	<i>Watchman, Blow the Gospel Trumpet</i> #368
Morning Offering	David Hinson
Kid's Korner	Kathy Burdorf
Morning Prayer	Sharena Cathey
Musical Selection	KAS Students
Scripture Reading	<i>Matthew 28:18-20</i> Moses Boy
Sermon	Pastor Matthew Durante <i>"Go and Don't Look Back!"</i>
Closing Hymn	<i>I Love to Tell the Story</i> #457(1, 3, 4)
Benediction	Pastor Matthew Durante

For those serving on the platform, please meet in the Elders' Room promptly at 10:30 a.m. Our Worship Service is live streamed on Facebook, YouTube, and Roku.

KNOXVILLE FIRST SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

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Ministry Servants Today

Elder in Charge	David Hinson
Deacon on Duty	Bruce Bankhead
Chorister	KAS Students
Pianist	KAS Students
Organist	Eddie Benedict
Live Streaming	Ty Oyier
Video Projection	Jeanna Crews
Sound System	Mike Lopez
Greeters	Rachel Arner, Kim Mitchell, and Connor Peeke



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A Devotional Thought for Today!

“But how can they call on Him to save them unless they believe in Him? And how can they believe in Him if they have never heard about Him? And how can they hear about Him unless someone tells them? And how will anyone go and tell them without being sent? That is why the Scriptures say, “How beautiful are the feet of messengers who bring good news!”

Romans 10:14-15

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Members and Honored Guests!

Thank you for choosing to worship with our church family this morning! We hope you feel welcome and want to call this church “home!” We have several prayer needs to keep in mind: our families, our homebound members, those facing health challenges, healthcare workers, first responders, missionaries, educators, elected officials, and those serving in law enforcement and in the military. Please also pray for the gift of the Holy Spirit!

CHURCH OFFERING SCHEDULE

Please Mark Your Tithe Envelope!

Today’s Offering: Church Operating Budget

Next Week’s Offering: Annual Sacrifice for Global Mission GC

Loose Offering Today: Church Operating Budget

Tithes and Offerings: You can give online on our church website at <https://adventistgiving.org/#/org/ANTFJL/envelope/start> or mail to Knoxville First SDA Church, P.O. Box 10952, Knoxville TN, 37939.

Thank you for being a faithful supporter of God’s work!

Church Giving – Through October 26, 2024				
	Last Week	Weekly Goal	YTD Total	YTD Need
Church Budget	\$1,128	\$4,899	\$161,805	\$210,657
Worthy Student	\$191	\$673	\$18,073	\$28,939
	Through September 2024		Goal:	
Building Project	\$105,923.11		\$3,000,000	

Worship Service in KAS Gym – Worship service will now be held in the KAS gym starting at 10:45AM due to the start of the building project. **Sabbath School classes** will still meet at 9:30AM in their regular classrooms. Adult Sabbath School classes will be held in the Conference Room and in the KAS Gym. If you have any questions, please contact the church office.

Bonfire/Chili Cook Off Social Event Tonight - from 5-9 pm at the White’s house (see the directory for the address). Please let Amy White know if you would like to bring chili and be entered in the chili cook off! Please label your items dairy and/or gluten free. No label is needed if they are neither. All items vegetarian, please. Don’t forget your camp chair! If you are not entering the chili cook off, please bring salad, veggie tray, fruit and/or a dessert. Hot and cold drinks, chili toppings, and s'more's will be provided by the Social Committee. Come on out for a great time!

Celebration of Life service for Rosalie Sorensen (Hanzelka) Peters

- There will be a Celebration of Life service in the sanctuary of the Knoxville First SDA Church on Sabbath November 9th at 3pm following the fellowship meal. Thank you for keeping Dan, Susan, and Craig (Rosalie’s children) in your thoughts and prayers. Even so, come, Lord Jesus! (Rev. 22:20)

Join us November 9th for Fellowship Meal After Service

– Adrienne Robinson and Team 5 will serve. Thank you: Eddie & Dennis Benedict, Almaz Biru, Debbie & Tim Carithers, Lindsey & Daniel Etson, Darby & Danny Goodge, Kim Goodge, Nita & Michael Holcomb, Florence Ofier-Oyier, Adrienne Robinson, Goldean Robinson, Liesl & Nathan Rowe, and Danielle & Miquel Velez, for setting up, serving, and cleaning up. Everyone attending this luncheon, please bring enough food (vegetarian or vegan dishes only please!) for your family and to share with others.

Family Promise October 27 - November 3.

We are in urgent need of two Overnight hosts for Saturday night, November 2. Please contact Hanna Jones at hijones@crimson.ua.edu or sign up to help at tinyurl.com/KnoxFirstFamilyPromise.

Church Business Meeting

- There will be a Church Business meeting in the KAS Gym on Thursday, November 21 at 7pm. This meeting will include reports from various ministries and reviewing of the 2025 Church Budget. All church members are encouraged and welcome to attend.

Advent House Thanksgiving Dinner

- Sunday, November 24, ACF (Adventist Christian Fellowship) will be hosting a Thanksgiving Dinner at Advent House starting at 1:30 p.m. to celebrate the holiday with our students and reach out to other students on campus. This is a large undertaking for us, and we would appreciate help providing food for this event. If you are interested in helping, here is a link to sign up: adventhouse.org/thanksgiving.

Church Office

- With the building project underway, office times in which the staff are present to assist with any needs will be disrupted. If you are needing to access the church office, please schedule an appointment via telephone or email. Access cards are no longer active.

Church Directory

– We have transitioned to a new church directory called Breeze. This new platform will help the church to communicate more effectively through emails and text messages. An invitation email has been sent with instructions on how to sign up. Please check your spam folder as the email may have been marked as spam. Once you sign up, you can download the app from your app store called “Breeze ChMs”. If you need assistance, please contact the church office.

Women’s Ministry

- Join us in making a fall table decoration on November 10 at 10 am in the Hospitality House. We will be making a decoupage pumpkin. Supplies will be provided. Bring finger food if you would like. This is open to all ladies and teens. Limited to 20 people. Please RSVP on the WM Facebook page or to Lisa, Kim or Corrie.

Bridge Refugee Services

- Thank you! Thank you! Thank you! The following will benefit several families of refugees coming in over the next few weeks. The donations consisted of 110 rolls of TP, 26 tubes of toothpaste, and 6 laundry detergents. Monetary donations assisted with purchasing 7 more laundry detergents, 11 dish soap and a large box (120) of 13-gal trash bags. Several families are expected to arrive this coming week, and your donations made it possible to help them move into their apartments. For further information on how you can continue to support this ministry, you may reach out to Beverly Duckett at 865-384-2154.

KARM – Corners of Your Field

- From Oct 14th to Nov 9th, all 25+ KARM Stores will be accepting coat donations, which will be distributed to those in need. When you donate indicate that that you want the credit to go to Knoxville First SDA Church, and a portion of your contribution is returned to our church as gift cards every quarter.

2024 WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sabbath

9:30 a.m.
10:45 a.m.
5:00 p.m.
6:40 p.m.

November 2

Sabbath School Classes
Service – Pastor Matt Durante
Bonfire/Chili Cook Off Social
Sunset

Sunday

November 3 – Daylight Savings Time

Friday

5:35 p.m.

November 8

Sunset

Sabbath

9:30 a.m.
10:45 a.m.
12:30 p.m.
3:00 p.m.
5:34 p.m.

November 9

Sabbath School Classes
Service – Pastor Thang Lian
Fellowship Lunch
Celebration of Life – Rosalie Sorensen (Hanzelka) Peters
Sunset